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For: ELECTROPLATING IN PRESENCE OF CO2	

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We enclose a copy of the Official Filing Receipt for the above-identified application and request the following corrections:

Assignment for Published Patent Application

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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION (37 CFR 1.63)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that: My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

ELECTROPLATING IN PRESENCE OF CO₂

the application of which
☐ is attached hereto

OR

☒ was filed on February 14, 2005 as United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number PCT/JP2005/002179, (Confirmation No. _____), and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part application(s), material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date	Priority Claimed	
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<u>2004-35281</u>	<u>Japan</u>	<u>12/02/2004</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>2004-349851</u>	<u>Japan</u>	<u>02/12/2004</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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I hereby appoint all attorneys of **SUGHRUE MION, PLLC** who are listed under the USPTO Customer Number shown below as my attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, recognizing that the specific attorneys listed under that Customer Number may be changed from time to time at the sole discretion of Sughrue Mion, PLLC, and request that all correspondence about the application be addressed to the address filed under the same USPTO Customer Number.



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Assignment

Whereas, I/We, 1) NAGAI Takabumi, 2) FUJII Kazuhisa, and 3) ASAI Hideaki of
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hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented certain improvements in
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and executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on
March 1 and 2, 2005; and

Whereas,

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(assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and
invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I/We, the above named assignor(s), hereby sell, assign and transfer to the above named
assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the application and the
invention disclosed therein for the United States of America, including the right to claim priority
under 35 U.S.C. §119, and I/we request the Director - U.S. Patent and Trademark Office to issue
any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its
successors and assigns; and I/we will execute without further consideration all papers deemed
necessary by the assignee in connection with the United States application when called upon to
do so by the assignee.

I/We hereby authorize and request our attorneys SUGHRUE MION, PLLC of 2100
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